

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1397 - SB 1503

January 27, 2014

SUMMARY OF BILL: Establishes a Class B misdemeanor for property owners or caretakers that do not notify law enforcement within 24 hours of discovering that methamphetamine has been or is being manufactured on such property.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- According to the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation, the District Attorney General's Conference, and the Tennessee Sheriff's Association there will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions to significantly impact local government caseloads.
- According to the Department of Environment and Conservation, any cost to the Department to handle additional reporting of methamphetamine related incidents is estimated to be not significant.
- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions for state or local governments to experience any significant increase in revenue or expenditures.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lucian D. Geise".

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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